

CHICAGO PACKERS ASK DELAY IN CASE

FILING OF PETITION CAUSES SURPRISE TO GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS

KENYON DUE IN CHICAGO TODAY

Ask Postponement of Prosecution Until Case Before Grosscup Is Settled.

Chicago, Dec. 7.—Counsel representing J. Ogden Armour and other indicted packers have filed a petition in the United States district court asking that further prosecution of the criminal charges against the members of the so-called beef trust be postponed until the suit in equity pending before Judge Peter S. Grosscup in the United States circuit court be disposed of. This suit was filed last February and seeks to dissolve the National Packing company. The petition came as a surprise to the government officials, who had been expecting that a demurrer would be filed.

John S. Miller, of counsel for the packers, gave notice to District Attorney Sims and James H. Wilkerson, that arguments on the petition would be called before Judge George A. Carpenter in the United States court today. Judge Carpenter is absent from the city, and was reported as having been in Washington Tuesday. It is thought unlikely that he will return to Chicago before next week.

As soon as copies of the petition were placed in the hands of the district attorney and his aid, he called a conference with Mr. Wilkerson and Elwood Goodman, W. S. Kenyon, assistant attorney general of the United States, was expected to arrive here today.

A decree of injunction granted in the suit of 1902, it is stated, is still in effect. The suit in equity filed last February, it is set forth, is directed against certain of the same persons who were made defendants to the injunction proceedings in 1902. The only new defendants, it is said, are Charles H. Swift, Frank A. Fowler, Edward Tilden and Louis H. Heyman.

ALLEN STOCK CO. HAS BEEN BOOKED

WILL FEATURE ETHEL MAY AT THE DIXON OPERA HOUSE.

Mr. Starrin, manager of the Dixon opera house, has secured the Allen Stock company, featuring Ethel May "The Mystery Girl." He has gone to considerable expense to secure this attraction and guarantees it to be up to the standard of the high class attractions he has played this season. The Allen Stock company presents the latest royalty plays at popular prices. See tomorrow evening's paper for particulars.

GOVERNMENT REPORT ON WINTER WHEAT

SHOWS A LARGER ACREAGE BUT CONDITION NOT EQUAL TO LAST YEAR.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 7.—Special—The government report compiled Dec. 1st on the condition and acreage grown to winter wheat is as follows:

Winter wheat condition this year, 82.5; last year, 85.3.

Acreage this year, 34,485,000; last year, 33,483,000.

STOCK SALE HELD AT WOLBER FARM

Wm. Wolber, residing on the Chicago road, had a successful stock sale yesterday. Mr. Wolber will move onto a smaller farm next year. Auctioneer Kelley of Franklin Grove cried the sale and Attorney Harry C. Warner of this city acted as clerk. Cattle brought top prices.

POULTRYMEN TO MEET NEXT FRIDAY

The Dixon Poultry association will hold a meeting next Friday evening at the coal office of S. W. Youngman in Dementtown. The meeting is called for the purpose of discussing the coming poultry show in January at Rosbrook hall.

BROKE HER THIGH.

Mrs. Nicholas Mossholder of North Dixon fell at her home this forenoon and broke one of her thighs.

T. J. CONNERS

One of the Men Indicted by Jury in Beef Trust Cases.



Photo by American Press Association.

BOARD WINDS UP SESSION'S BUSINESS

COMMITTEES MADE THEIR REPORTS TODAY AND ACTION WAS PROMPT.

SEVERAL MEMBERS MAY RETIRE

Thos. Long and M. Sullivan Among Those Who Will Not Run Again.

At 10 a. m. today the board of supervisors convened and transacted the most important matters of the session. Every committee was ready with reports and they were acted upon promptly and approved by the board.

It is possible that the board will complete its work this afternoon but should there be other matters that cannot be disposed of today the board will convene for a short time tomorrow before adjourning sine die.

At 10:30 tomorrow the majority of the members will go to Sublette to attend the farmers' institute.

The grand jury list will be completed late today and will be ready for publication tomorrow.

Supervisors to Retire.

The report is current that several of the members of the board will not be candidates for re-election at the spring election. It was reported that Thomas P. Long of Harmon and M. Sullivan of Reynolds will not return after the March session. Mr. Long has represented Harmon on the board for ten years and Mr. Sullivan has been a member for 12 years. Both are prominent members of the board and each has made an excellent record as a supervisor. Both are popular. Events may so shape themselves that both may be forced by their constituents to again be candidates but this is hardly likely, as both of these men are anxious to retire from public life.

Flag Floats Today.

The flag floated from the court house today.

Supervisor Christ Gross, chairman of the building committee, wanted to show Supervisor Harry Fordham that the county was in possession of a new flag and that it was in good condition. Mr. Fordham insisted that he be shown and Mr. Gross, was game.

ARE VISITING LOCAL ELEVATOR MEN

J. H. Ashum of the cash grain department of the Walter Fitch company of Chicago is here for a few days calling on the elevator people of this community. Today C. P. Herrick, C. A. Anderson and Mr. Ashum went to Tampico, Prophetstown and Rock Falls to interview the elevator men. Later they will visit Ashton, Franklin Grove and Nachusa.

SCHOOL VACATION BEGINS DEC. 23RD

At the meeting of the south side school board several nights ago it was decided to fix the holiday vacation beginning Dec. 23 and lasting two weeks. Schools will open again after the holidays on Monday, Jan. 9th.

FREE WANT ADS IN THE TELEGRAPH

FOR THE SPECIAL EDITION TO BE PRINTED ON NEXT SATURDAY.

BIG EDITION TO BE PRINTED

New Serial Story Starts—Christmas Stories and Special Articles.

Do you want work or help or have you something which you do not need and would like to turn into cash? The Evening Telegraph will print free for each subscriber one "Wanted" or "For Sale" ad. of not more than 25 words in its issue of Saturday, Dec. 10th. If it is desired to have the ad. run longer than one night it will be printed three nights of the following week for 25 cents. These ads. must be mailed so that they reach the office not later than Friday morning.

The issue of the Telegraph for next Saturday will be a Special Holiday Shopping Edition of 24 pages of which an increased number will be printed so that they will reach every family in the county. This will make it an exceptionally good advertising medium and merchants are taking advantage of it with increased advertising space.

There will be Christmas stories and special articles of interest, not the least of which will be the first installment of the Telegraph's new serial story, "The Fortune Hunter."

REPORT VINDICATES BALLINGER TODAY

COMMITTEE REPORTS TO CONGRESS ON PINCHOT-BALLINGER CASE.

Washington, Dec. 7.—Vindicating Secretary Ballinger upon all charges brought against him and condemning his accusers as having been inspired by a deep feeling of animosity, the majority of the congressional committee which investigated the Ballinger-Pinchot case today submitted its report to congress. Ballinger was declared honorable and competent to perform the duties of his office.

FRANK HUBBARD HURT BY CATTLE

WHITESIDE COUNTY MAN TRAMPLED BY STEERS—SHOULDER DISLOCATED

Frank Hubbard and his father-in-law, Elies Fisher, who live south of Sterling in Montgomery, got into a mixup with a number of cattle Tuesday and as a consequence Mr. Hubbard had his right shoulder dislocated and is suffering a great deal of pain by various bruises he received on his face and body. The cattle would not drive properly, and two of the most rancorous ones were tied together with rope, about five feet between them. Somehow the man got in between the two and the rope was twisted around him and he was thrown to the ground and trampled. His shoulder was pulled out of joint by the pulling of the rope. It looked for awhile as if he would be killed.

His escape with his life is fortunate as the chances for a time were against him.

MANY AT FUNERAL IN FRANKLIN GROVE

W. W. Lehman and wife, Rev. Shaw, Samuel Greenawalt and Roy Raffenberg and sister attended the funeral of the late Charles Hawbecker in Franklin Grove yesterday afternoon. Mr. Hawbecker dropped dead in Rochelle last week. Interment occurred at the Emmert cemetery in Nachusa township. Rev. Heckman of Polo, who was with Mr. Hawbecker when he died, officiated at the funeral, which was one of the largest ever held in Franklin Grove.

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WITH SUPERVISORS BETWEEN SESSIONS

DISCUSS FARMING AND OTHER TOPICS DURING THEIR RECESSES.

ATTEND INSTITUTE TOMORROW

Board Members Wanted to See New Flag Float From Court House.

"Tell the people that the board of supervisors accepts the invitation to go to Sublette Thursday to attend the Farmers' institute with the great est pleasure," said Supervisor Thos. Long of Harmon in seconding the motion of Supervisor John Malach of Sublette, that the board attend the institute Thursday.

Supervisor Long meant what he said. It was one of the shortest speeches he ever delivered before the board but it met with the approval of all members.

You wouldn't think it to look at him, but there is not a man on the board who knows more about scientific farming than he and he keeps from farming because the work don't agree with him but he knows now farm work ought to be done. He is interested in farmers' institutes, yet he never has much to say at the institute with reference to cultivation of the soil.

Much credit belongs to Mr. Long for the successful institute held at Harmon the past two years.

A majority of the members of the board will go to Sublette Thursday morning and spend a day with the farmers and their wives. The majority of the members are active farmers and were they not in Dixon attending to the county business no doubt would attend the institute several days.

Flag Question Raised.

Supervisor Harry L. Fordham of Compton wanted to know why the flag was not unfurled from the dome of the court house Monday, when the newly elected officers were sworn into office.

Supervisor Chris Gross of China, who had considerable to do in getting the new flag seemed surprised when Mr. Fordham raised the question.

"We have the flag all right, Mr. Fordham, the pole up there is in good shape and the ropes are strong, but I guess the reason was because I forgot to tell John (the janitor) about it," said Mr. Gross.

"Well," answered Mr. Fordham, "if the county is going to have a flag it ought to be unfurled at least several times a year. I thought it ought to have been out Monday even if it was put up at half mast."

Mr. Gross said he would see John and have him fly the flag tomorrow.

HAS FINE APPLES FROM WASHINGTON

Dr. A. F. Moore has received from his brother, who is secretary of the Walla Walla Industrial association, some apples which received the first prize at the Spokane-Chicago apple show. These are the Stark Delicious and sold in Chicago last week for \$10 per bushel and are grown in the Walla Walla valley. S. F. Burgess of Chelan county, Wash., sold \$1500 worth of apples from 36 trees.

17 Days to Christmas.
DO IT NOW

POWER CO. BUYS ISLAND ABOVE DAM

OBJECT IS TO DEVELOP AND INCREASE THE WATER POWER.

MAY REMOVE ISLAND FROM RIVER

Price Paid S. N. Watson Was \$5,000 Valuable Walnut Timber on the Island.

Clement C. Smith, vice president and general manager of the Sterling, Dixon and Eastern and the Lee County Lighting company, left Dixon this evening after a two days' stay here, and before going gave out the information that the Lighting company had purchased from Sam Watson and the Pure Ice company the large island in Rock river directly above the dam at Dixon. Consideration, \$5,000.

This island, nearly half a mile in length is growing larger each year because of the silt deposited by the river and is becoming a menace to the water power. The company felt that they ought to control it in case it becomes necessary to make any improvements or changes. There is no small amount of valuable timber on the island and it has been used as grazing land for cattle and horses for many years.

It may be necessary to remove the island from the river if it becomes too great an obstruction to the flow of water.

Late this afternoon Captain L. L. Wheeler of Sterling, Clement C. Smith and Mr. Daugherty of Dayton, O., met in consultation in regard to the matter of improving the water power at the Dixon plant, as far as the possibilities and practical part of it are concerned. Mr. Daugherty is a representative of the Globe Iron Works company of Dayton and is an expert on the installation of water wheels, development of water power, etc. He has done a great deal of work in Sterling.

One problem here is finding a way of getting away with tail water at the dam. The tail water must be well disposed of before much water power can be developed, no matter how great a body of water is backed up on the upper side of the dam. Capt. Wheeler, who is a water power expert, Mr. Daugherty and Mr. Smith, who is no novice himself in the matter of water power development, looked things over at the dam and power plant this afternoon and their report will have much weight at the next directors meeting when the question of development comes up.

The main purpose of the investigation this afternoon is to determine just how much water power can be procured if every drop of water in the river is utilized, and what it will be necessary to do to obtain this power.

Mr. Smith has his heart in his work here in Dixon and is wholly sympathetic with anything for the betterment of our city, or the improvement of the properties in which he is interested here, which means an improvement to Dixon. Any considerable increase in the water power means plenty of power for any of the Dixon factories that want it or for any factories that might be influenced to come here because of the bountiful supply of electricity.

ROBBED IN CHICAGO STORE

Mrs. Henrietta Aughey, formerly of Dixon, writes a friend here that while in one of the large retail stores on State street in Chicago last Thursday she was robbed of about \$20.

LICENSED TO WED

The following people were granted a license to wed yesterday afternoon by the county clerk:

Ezra L. Dewey, Nachusa.

Mary E. Burtsfield, same.

LEFT FOR TEXAS.

Miss Lella Hartwell left yesterday for Texas to join her parents in Blesing, where they will spend the winter. Robin Hartwell will also join his parents and sister in a short time.

NEW SUPERINTENDENT VISITING SCHOOLS

County Superintendent L. W. Miller today visited the White Temple and Brick schools in South Dixon township. These were the first schools visited by the new superintendent.

FRANK E. DOREMUS

Newly Elected Congressman from First Michigan District.



PRICE OF MEATS IS GOING UP

PACKERS MADE RAISE TUESDAY—HOPE FOR CHEAPER MEAT GLIMMERS

Local butchers tell us that instead of the price of meat going down that it is going up and that the prospect is that it will continue to go up and that the days of cheap meat are already history and something that you can tell your children about years from now, although they probably won't believe you.

Yesterday the packers raised the price of pork 2 1-2 cents a pound and beef went up 1 1-2 cents.

REHEARING DENIED IN GODFREY CASE

AGAINST THE DIXON POWER AND LIGHTING CO. AND OTHERS.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 7.—Special—The supreme court today denied the petition for a rehearing in the case of Wm. C. Godfrey and others, appellees, against the Dixon Power and Lighting company and others. The appellants appealed from the circuit court of Lee county and the case was reversed and remanded for a new trial. The attorneys for the appellees asked for a rehearing.

INFANT HAS A MEMORABLE BATH

STRENUOUS EXPERIENCE FOR YOUNG MAMMA AND HER FIRST BORN

A good story is told on a mother and her little babe not a thousand miles from this city in which a bath tub of small size and the baby figures. The tub was one of the foot tubs lately sold at a bargain sale a short time ago here. It was painted green, and not being Irish, she did not like the color, so the lady covered the whole inside with a coating of white enamel.

She filled the tub partially full with boiling hot water, then cooled it off with cold water. The hot water had done its work alright, for when the baby was placed in the tub and sat down on the bottom for a few minutes, the mother found that her babe was stuck to the bottom. She pulled and hauled the youngster but it was like the famous Aunt Jemima's plaster, "the more she tried to pull it off, the more it stuck the faster."

In desperation the woman poured the water out, and she actually had to pull up that baby by force and it is said that large pieces of skin came off of the baby and stuck to the bottom of that tub. The woman has kept the thing a secret for three days but the story leaked out just the same.—Sterling Gazette.

ALMS HOUSE NOW HAS A MATRON

MRS. CLYDE WICHER APPOINTED TO POSITION BY THE COUNTY BOARD.

FARM IS IN GOOD CONDITION

Contracts to County Physicians—Willow Creek Bridge Accepted From Contractor.

For the first time in its history Lee county has a matron at the alms house. Mrs. Clyde Wicher was appointed to that position by the board of supervisors at its session Tuesday afternoon. The appointment was made upon the recommendation of the alms house committee. Mrs. Wicher will receive a compensation of \$300 per year.

At the same time the board entered into a contract with Clyde Wicher as superintendent of the poor farm for 1911. His compensation was fixed at \$900. Mr. Wicher is by law required to furnish a bond. His bond was fixed at \$4000. The bond was presented to the board yesterday and was approved.

Farm in Good Condition.

About a week ago the alms house committee made the annual invoice of the poor farm. The invoice showed \$6,228.35 of property on hand.

In addition to taking the invoice the committee made their annual inspection and reported to the board that everything on the farm is in first class condition.

Another report shows that the amount of money on hand is \$317.82.

Mr. Wicher the first of the year enters upon his 11th year as superintendent of the poor farm and during this time there has not been a word of criticism regarding his way of doing things on the farm. His administrations have all been very successful and very satisfactory to the boards.

County Physicians.

The board awarded contracts to the following physicians on Tuesday afternoon:

Dist. No. 1 G. W. Kimball, \$65 00
No. 2 C. M. Cheadle, 50 00
No. 3 F. M. Banker, 100 00
No. 4 W. R. Parker, 225 00
No. 5 J. M. Lund, 196 00
No. 6 E. A. Sullivan, 140 00
No. 7 E. C. White, 100 00
No. 8 T. H. Stetler, 50 00
No. 9 G. P. Powell, 200 00
No. 10 B. H. Angear, 85 00

There are thirty inmates at the alms house and they are divided according to nationality, as follows: Americans, 12; Irish, 11; German 4; colored, 2; Swiss, 1.

Bridge Committee Reports.

The Willow Creek bridge committee appointed by Chairman Shaw at the last meeting of the board reported Tuesday afternoon.

The report shows that the bridge in Willow Creek is completed in compliance with the plans and specifications and thereupon accepted.

The bridge is 35 feet long, of the usual width, with concrete abutments and wings. M. M. Bilmire of Ashton, contractor, constructed the bridge. His contract price was \$1,500 and \$24 for furnishing and placing six iron piles to protect the abutments.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Latitude, 41 deg., 48 min., N.
Longitude, 89 deg., 27 min., W.
705 feet above sea level.

Above data furnished by H. R. Spafford, assistant chief engineer of the Illinois Central Railroad Co.

The following report of high and low temperatures and precipitation are taken at 7 o'clock each morning and are for the preceding 24 hours:

Sunday	30	13
Monday	29	18
Tuesday	31	19
Wednesday	47	14

Chicago, Dec. 7.—Generally cloudy today and tomorrow, with light snow flurries tomorrow; not much change in temperature; light, and variable winds.

Deputy Sheriff Robert Phillips was in Harmon today on official business.

Santa Claus Letter

Dear Santa

Age

MARKETS

Butter	28
Eggs	25
Lard	14
Potatoes	35
Old Chickens	12
Ducks	14
Turkeys	16
Geese	12
Spring chickens	14
Corn	40
Oats	28 @ 30

BOARD OF TRADE QUOTATIONS FURNISHED BY C. P. HER- RICK, SHAW BLDG.

C. D. Anderson, Local Manager.
Range of Prices on Chicago Board
of Trade:

Open High Low Close
Chicago, Dec. 7, 1910.

Wheat—				
Dec 93	93 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2	
May 97 1/4	97 3/4	96 3/4	96 3/4	
July 94 1/4	94 1/2	93 1/2	93 1/2	94

Corn—				
Dec 45 1/2	46 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	
May 48 1/2	48 3/4	47 3/4	47 3/4	
July 48 1/2	48 3/4	48 1/2	48 1/2	

Oats—				
Dec 31 1/2	31 3/4	31 1/2	31 1/2	
May 34 1/2	34 3/4	34 1/2	34 1/2	
July 34 1/2	34 3/4	34 1/2	34 1/2	

Pork—				
Jan 1802	1840	1800	1815	
May 1707	1747	1707	1722	

Lard—				
Jan 987	1000S	987	987	
May 977	987	972	977	

Ribs—				
Jan 962	975	960	960	
May 932	947	930	935	

Hogs open weak at yesterday's close.

Left over—3,900.
Mix—710 @ 760.
Good—740 @ 760.
Rough—710 @ 735.

Cattle 10c lower.
Sheep steady.

Light—710 @ 760.
Hogs—35,000.
Cattle—28,000.
Sheep—30,000.

Hogs close about like yesterday's high time.

Estimated tomorrow—27,000.

Chicago Cash Grain Quotations.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 94 @ 94 1/2; No. 3 red, 91 1/2 @ 94; No. 2 hard winter, 94 1/2 @ 96 1/2; No. 3 hard winter, 91 1/2 @ 94; No. 1 northern spring, 1.07 @ 1.09; No. 2 northern spring, 1.03 @ 1.05; No. 3 spring, 94 @ 1.05. Corn—No. 2, 49c; No. 2 white, 50 @ 51c; No. 2 yellow, 52 @ 52 1/2; No. 3, 48 1/2 @ 49c; No. 3 yellow, 51 1/2 @ 52c. Oats—No. 2 white, 33 1/2 @ 33 3/4; No. 3 white, 32 1/2 @ 33c; standard, 33 @ 33 1/2c.

Chicago Live Stock.

Hogs—Receipts 25,000. Quotations ranged at \$7.00 @ 7.65 choice heavy, \$7.55 @ 7.65 choice light, \$7.40 @ 7.55 heavy packing, and \$7.40 @ 7.75 good to choice pigs.

Cattle—Receipts 7,000. Quotations ranged at \$7.00 @ 7.25 prime steers, \$4.15 @ 4.75 good to choice beef cows, \$4.50 @ 5.25 good to choice heifers, \$5.40 @ 5.75 selected feeders, \$4.65 @ 4.85 selected stockers, \$8.00 @ 9.00 good to choice veal calves.

Sheep—Receipts 20,000. Quotations ranged at \$5.25 @ 6.25 good to choice lambs, \$4.65 @ 5.85 good to choice yearlings, \$3.50 @ 4.25 good to choice wethers, \$3.75 @ 4.00 good to choice ewes.

Omaha Live Stock.

Cattle—Receipts 7,300 head; market slow to 10c lower; native steers, \$4.50 @ 6.50; cows and heifers, \$3.00 @ 5.25; western steers, \$3.50 @ 5.70; Texas steers, \$3.25 @ 5.10; cows and heifers, \$3.00 @ 4.65; canners, \$2.75 @ 3.50; stockers and feeders, \$3.00 @ 5.50; calves, \$3.25 @ 8.25; bulls, stags, etc., \$3.25 @ 5.00.

Hogs—Receipts 4,900 head; market 15 @ 25c higher; heavy, \$7.30 @ 7.50; mixed, \$7.40 @ 7.50; light, \$7.50 @ 7.60; pigs, \$6.50 @ 7.50; bulk of sales, \$7.40 @ 7.50.

East Buffalo Live Stock.

Dunning & Stevens, Live Stock Commission Merchants, East Buffalo, N. Y., quote as follows: Cattle—Receipts 5 cars; market steady. Hogs—Receipts 15 cars; market strong; heavy and Yorkers, \$7.70 @ 8.00; pigs, \$8.00. Sheep—Receipts 15 cars; market steady; lambs, \$6.15 @ 6.25; yearlings, \$4.75 @ 5.00; wethers, \$4.00 @ 4.25; ewes, \$3.75 @ 3.90. Calves, \$5.00 @ 10.50.

One day recently an old darkey was brought in from the mountain district of Alabama under suspicion of maintaining an illicit still. There was no real evidence against him. "What's your name, prisoner?" asked the judge, as he peered at the shuffling negro. "My name's Joshua, judge," was the reply. "Joshua eh," said the judge, as he rubbed his hands. "Are you the same Joshua spoken of in the Holy Writ—the Joshua who made the sun stand still?" "No judge," was the hasty reply. "I'm the Joshua that made the moonshine."

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CHRISTMAS SUGGESTION
Daily Telegraph delivered by carrier boy and Success Magazine for \$5.85. A year's subscription to each.

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PENNSYLVANIA CORNERS.

A large number attended the Jacob Price sale on Tuesday, Nov. 29. Miss Verona Brenner spent several days the past week with Miss Carrie Seyster, who spent several days at her home.

Miss Lena Nettz returned to Dixon on College Wednesday morning after spending Thanksgiving vacation at home.

V. H. Bovey and family entertained the Mrs. E. A. Nettz family at dinner Thanksgiving day.

Miss Mabel Trego of Polo spent several days at the home of her aunt Mrs. Geo. Stauffer, last week.

The basket social at Irvin Trump's was attended well, but few boxes were bought. Wm. Nettz was the auctioneer who proved to be a good one as the boxes brought a nice price.

Miss Fannie O'Kane, living west of Polo, spent a few days with Miss Mabel Higley last week.

Wm. Pettitt and Miss Mabelle Nettz were Tuesday evening visitors with Miss Lena Nettz.

Miss Eleanor Dockery was operated upon for appendicitis at the Dixon hospital Tuesday morning of this week. No report has been heard of her condition.

Miss Emma Mathias and brother George were Monday evening visitors at the home of their sister, Mrs. Ray Brooks.

Rev. Seyster and family entertained relatives at dinner Thanksgiving day.

Miss Nellie Ambrose spent last Thursday in Polo with friends.

Miss Mary Stauffer is spending a number of days with friends at Mary land Station.

S. B. Nettz was a Friday and Saturday business caller with friends last week.

Geo. Stauffer will hold a closing out sale on his farm Dec. 14th.

FOR CATARRH

MEDICINE FREE IN EVERY CASE WHERE IT FAILS TO RELIEVE

Neglect or pessimism, we believe, is the greatest enemy the public has to contend with when applied to the loss or recovery of health. Practically every case of consumption might have been cured if hope had been maintained and proper treatment had been resorted to at the first symptom of the disease. Until the advanced stage is reached consumption is curable. Catarrh is responsible, we believe, for many cases of consumption. It is about catarrh we want to talk to you today, incidentally consumption, since the two are so closely allied.

We have a medicine made from a prescription of one of the most successful catarrh specialists known. We believe it is positively without an equal. We are so satisfied that we are right that we will supply the medicine free in every instance where it is used according to directions for a reasonable length of time should it fail to give satisfaction in every particular. We want you to try this medicine at our risk. There are no conditions attached to our offer. We put the user under no obligation to us whatever.

The medicine we want you to try is **REXALL MUCU-TONE**. It is a catarrh remedy that goes direct to the seat of trouble. It is carried by the blood to every part of the system. It purifies and enriches the blood, tones up the mucous cells and brings about a condition of health and strength that tends to prevent the germs of consumption from getting a start. Besides this **REXALL MUCU-TONE** is a wonderful appetizer, digestive aid and flesh builder. Its good effects are often felt from the very first dose. It is one of the largest and most satisfactory selling medicines that we have ever had anything to do with.

We know so much of the great good that it has done that we personally back it up with our reputation and money, which fact should be ample guarantee to satisfy anybody. **REXALL MUCU-TONE** comes in two sizes, 50 cents and \$1.00. Remember you can obtain **REXALL Remedies** in Dixon only at our store, The **REXALL Store, C. M. Campbell & Son.**

AN UNUSUAL ACCIDENT REPORTED AT MATTOON

A student of the normal school at Mattoon, while playing basket ball in the gymnasium, fell sliding along the floor, his clothing catching on a splinter which ran into his flesh above the hip about 2 inches, then out through his clothing and back into his flesh again, pinning the clothing to his body. The splinter was about 5 inches long and almost as large as a lead pencil. A doctor removed the splinter, dressed the wound and no bad results are expected.

Fifty Years the Standard

DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

A Cream of Tartar Powder
Made From Grapes
NO ALUM

THE MUSIC SEASON.

From Maine to California the music season is open. Good!

It is true that the street pianos are in cold storage and the little German bands have disappeared, but orchestras, big and little, are tuning up; men with souls in their faces are presiding at great organs and sending out strains that seem to be the forerunner of the heaven that most of us desire; men and women with golden throats are singing joy into the hearts of thousands; the long evenings are here, and in more homes than one could count there is good music to please and inspire and drive away care and subdue worry.

Its fine! Let's hear all the real music we can. It is divine. It is the mysterious something that thrills the very soul that makes the heart throb and the tears come. It is joy and sorrow combined; it is heartache and spring gladness entwined. It is the perfume of the clover field and the richness of the orchid!

Let's have more of it, more of it. If you believe your bible, and most of us do, the world that is to come is to be blessed with the rich music of harps and a thousand voices, and perhaps hundreds of wonderful instruments that we know not of. And it will be heaven because of this music.

There was a man who was hardened and calloused and hated. He despised the world and made the world feel it. It was said of him that he had not one redeeming feature.

And he listened to the opening notes, the majestic strains of Tannhauser, that work alone would have served to make Richard Wagner immortal, and we saw the hot tears running down his cheeks and the muscles of his throat contract; and those who went to him while the spell of the harmony was upon him found him a human being with a heart that yearned for fellowship, a man who only wanted an invitation to be a real man, a penitent redeemed through the power of beautiful sounds that thrill the heartstrings if they be given but a chance.

Hear all the good music you can. For harmony never produced a bad impulse or impelled an unworthy act.

SPECIAL CUT RATE.

The Daily Telegraph and the Chicago Daily Examiner both for \$5 a year by mail.

Watch for our new serial, "The Fortune Hunter."

DIXON MAN INSTALLS PLANT IN HAVANA

W. D. SHERMAN HAS MACHINE
TO MAKE CONCRETE
SEWER PIPE.

W. D. Sherman, who was born and raised in Dixon, is now in Havana, Cuba, installing a plant of his own machinery for the manufacture of cement sewer pipe. This will keep him and his family until spring and the work which the city will do with this plant will require several years to complete.

Mr. Sherman started his invention while living in Dixon, working for a number of years on it here before going to New York City to make his home, where he perfected his machine and made from 35 to 42 miles of pipe a year for the city of Brooklyn.

GALENA MAN IS DIGGING FOR FORTUNE

Galea Gazette: A local version of Poe's famous story of "A Manuscript Found in a Bottle" is exciting the interest of a number of people residing on the hill. Not many days since, while digging in the yard, a son of Phillip Noah, Jr., found a bottle in which there was a paper containing some startling information. Traced on the sheet of white paper were crude designs of Indian arrows, bows, etc., below which appeared the following instructions—Dig six feet north of the spot where this bottle is found, to a depth of three feet, where you will find an iron chest, containing twenty thousand dollars.

That the discoverer of the bottle carried out the instructions given on the paper, it is perhaps needless to add, although up to the present time his efforts have resulted in the discovery of "narry a red." He has not become discouraged, however, but believes that he will eventually locate the pot of gold, which in this instance is not at the end of the rainbow, but will be found "six feet north, and three feet perpendicular."

CHRISTMAS SUGGESTION

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Re-Endorsement.

Mrs. Wahlgren was interviewed in January, 1910 and she said: "You are at liberty to continue the publication of my endorsement of Doan's Kidney Pills. My kidneys are now in good condition and I have but little trouble from my back. During the past two years I have used Doan's Kidney Pills occasionally and they have always been of benefit."

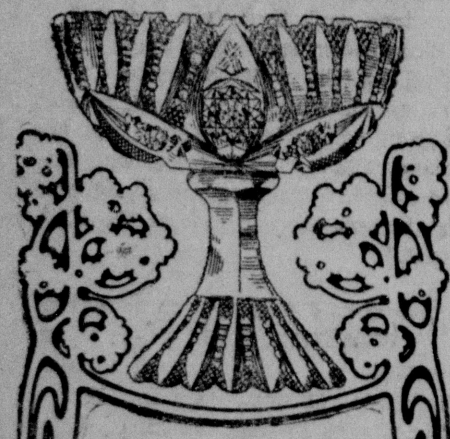
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MORRISON MAN

TAKES HIS SIXTH BRIDE

Morrison, Ill., Dec. 6.—That truth is much stranger than fiction was evidenced this week when a double wedding occurred in this city. In this wedding George Dillenbeck is the father of a bride of twenty-two years who became the wife of Frank Carter, of Morrison, and at the same time the father of the bride became the husband of Mrs. Louise Meeteer, of Logi, Wis. Added to this strange wedding feature, is the fact that Geo. Dillenbeck, while becoming the husband of Mrs. Meeteer, was married for the sixth time. Mr. Dillenbeck is fifty-nine years of age and at the age of twenty-two he led his first bride to the altar. Four of the wives of Mr. Dillenbeck are buried in the Morrison cemetery and one divorced wife resides in Falls.

CAMPAIGN NOT FOR HIMSELF.

That Colonel Roosevelt did not make his recent western tour for campaign purposes may be concluded from the following editorial in a recent number of the Outlook which says: "We do not wonder that some critics have represented Mr. Roosevelt's western tour as a preparation for the presidential campaign in 1912; because we have long ceased to wonder at the appearance of the small minded man who cannot conceive that a public service is rendered without a hope of a personal reward. Such men are to be pitied, not blamed. They are dull, not corrupt. They have never felt a throb of personal patriotism themselves and therefore cannot recognize it in another. That a man may volunteer to render service to the state in time of peace as well as in time of war is beyond their intellectual power to conceive."

OPPORTUNITY.

A rich old man was asked how he made his money.

"Simplest thing in the world," he said. "I always did the reverse of what everybody else was doing. I everybody sold, I bought—prices were low."

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Young men go to the soil. There lies opportunity. Go with the knowledge, energy and determination to be a real artist in your business.

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ADVERTISED MAIL.

Mail matter advertised at Dixon, Dec. 4:

Letters—
Oscar Anderson,
Miss Rose Bronson,
— Blaine,
Mrs Geo Baxter 2,
Miss Jennie Clark,
Mrs A Hirsch,
C S McDaniel,
Willis L Osborn,
Leroy Stock,
Chas Warren,
Albert S Webster,
Lora Zora Wooley,
Geo F Wolf.

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Master Austin,
Joan Behrens,
Mrs Geo Baxter,
Will Edzell,
Holmes Ferriss,
Mrs H Graves,
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The correct name for your trouble is Food Fermentation—food souring; the Digestive organs become weak, there is lack of gastric juice; your food is only half digested, and you become affected with loss of appetite, pressure and fullness after eating, vomiting, nausea, heartburn, griping in bowels, tenderness in the pit of stomach, bad taste in mouth, constipation, pain in limbs, sleeplessness, sick headache, nervousness or many other similar symptoms.

If your appetite is feeble and nothing tempts you or you belch gas, or if you feel bloated after eating, or your food lies like a lump of lead on your stomach, you can make up your mind that at the bottom of all this there is but one cause—fermentation of undigested food.

Prove to yourself in five minutes that your stomach is as good as any, that there is nothing really wrong. Stop this fermentation and begin eating what you want without fear of discomfort or misery.

Almost instant relief is waiting for you. It is merely a matter of how soon you take a little Diapiesin.

THE BEND.

The Bend, December 7, 1910 — Frank Byers attended the McNamara and Beiers sale, Dec. 5th and purchased a team.

Mary Rosbrook spent the week end at the Harry Heckman home.

Mrs. Bert Rizer spent Thursday and Friday at the Chas. Boucher home.

Roy Metzler has gone to Clinton. Mrs. Tryon Rosbrook visited Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Boyer.

Jas. Bennett was in Eldena Thursday.

Mrs. Manny May is at the home of her parents until her recovery from a serious operation at the hospital. Sam Bennett is laid up with blood poison in his arm.

Louis Batty butchered a fine large porker Monday.

The Warner children have been quite sick.

Misses Grace and Catherine Metzler and gentlemen friends attended "The Climax," Saturday night.

Little Mary and Isabelle Lowery are staying with their grandfather, Mr. Greene.

Olyde Drury has returned home from the north.

Lester Heaton is working on a farm for Robt. Haune.

Mrs. Chas. Boucher was a Dixon shopper Saturday.

Friends in the Bend have received word from the Gilman family that they have arrived safely in Colorado with their goods where they will make their future home.

Dr. Pankhurst has made several professional trips lately to Seldor Inn.

The most fascinating story of the day, "The Fortune Hunter." Watch for the opening chapter.

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BIBLE DECISION WILL BE FOUGHT

National Reform Body Takes Up Illinois Ruling.

PLANS CAMPAIGN OF PROTEST

Nebraska Court Reversal in Barring the Bible from Public Schools is Cited at the Pittsburgh Convention.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 7.—A campaign of protest against the decision of the supreme court of Illinois in ruling the Bible, as a religious book, out of the public schools of that state was authorized by the National Reform association in annual convention.

At a meeting of the subcommittee of the executive committee it was recommended that the question be carried to the United States supreme court.

The supreme court of Nebraska several years ago made a ruling similar to that of the Illinois court, and the association carried the matter up and the Nebraska court was reversed.

The convention also directed that a campaign be conducted in Illinois for a rehearing before the supreme court. A preliminary conference will be held in Chicago Jan. 17-20. Petitions will be given out asking a rehearing, which will be circulated throughout the state. When the petitions have been signed a national convention will be held in Chicago. Speakers of national reputation will be present, the names on the petitions will be counted and attorneys engaged to take up the matter with the supreme court.

Dr. Martin, who is national superintendent of the association, said that the Bible was excluded from schools in Illinois because of the agitation by the Catholic church.

"I have no hesitancy in predicting," said Dr. Martin, "that every member of the association will approve of the campaign to be conducted to have the Bible restored to the schools. This same subject was up in Nebraska and we secured a reversal of the Nebraska court's decision, and we hope to do the same in the case of Illinois."

TAFT NAMES J. C. AMES AGAIN

To Continue as Collector of Customs for District of Chicago.

Washington, Dec. 7.—Among several hundred nominations sent to the senate by the president were those of John C. Ames, to be collector of customs for the district of Chicago; Julius S. Starr to be collector of customs at Peoria, John W. Garrett of Maryland, to be United States minister to Venezuela; Charles S. Wilson of Maine, to be secretary of embassy at Rome, Italy; Frederick W. Lehman of Missouri, to be solicitor general; E. H. Randolph to be United States attorney for the western district of Louisiana; Alexander Dunnnett to be United States attorney for Vermont, and Jesse W. Bonner to be auditor for Porto Rico.

ASK STATE FOR \$8,000,000

Illinois Charities Make Estimates as Basis for Appropriations.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 7.—A little over \$8,000,000 is the amount superintendents and managing officers of the seventeen charitable institutions of Illinois estimate the state legislature in its winter session ought to appropriate for the maintenance of the institutions for the coming two years.

Of the amount named, it is roughly estimated by the superintendents that \$6,000,000 will be required for general and ordinary expenses, \$1,250,000 for new buildings, \$600,000 for repairs and the balance for miscellaneous purposes.

MARKHAM FOR I. C. CHIEF

May Be Chosen President to Succeed James T. Harahan.

Chicago, Dec. 7.—Reports, to which considerable credence is attached, are in circulation both in Chicago and New York to the effect that Charles B. Markham, formerly vice president and general manager of the Southern Pacific railway, will be chosen as the successor of James T. Harahan, president of the Illinois Central road.

In New York the Wall Street Journal stated its advice assured Mr. Markham's selection.

SUPREME COURT IN SESSION

Increase in Rehearing Docket and Decrease in the People's.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 7.—The Illinois supreme court convened for the December term.

The rehearing docket showed an increase of 33 1-3 per cent of cases, but the people's docket had decreased almost one-half, compared with the October term. There were only six cases on the certiorari docket.

Suicide Clause Held Invalid.
Denver, Colo., Dec. 7.—The state law requiring insurance companies to pay on policies even if the insured commits suicide within a year was upheld by the Colorado supreme court.

LOWDEN MENTIONED FOR GOVERNOR

MANY LOOK AT HIM AS POSSIBLE CANDIDATE IN NEXT CAMPAIGN.

The following from Ogle County Republican is of interest:

Many newspapers over the state are looking for Col. F. O. Lowden of Ogle county as the only man in Illinois who can lead the people out of the political bondage whether they have been drifting since the memorable deadlock convention six years ago.

Thousands of good men, the salt of the earth and bone and sinew of the republican party, from all over the state are casting wistful glances toward Lowden. They realize now the great error they fell into six years ago and they seem anxious to get back again to first principles. People are looking for a man who will not perjure his soul for the flesh pots of Egypt or Cook county.

Lowden's Platform

Six years ago Mr. Lowden's campaign was made upon the platform that the three departments of state, executive, legislative and judicial were separate and distinct, and should be so conducted, to the benefit of the people at large and not one department attempt to usurp the entire right and control of the other.

People who have followed the doings of the state capital the past six years know full well what happened. The governor's policy has been a rule of ruin proposition and he has come dangerously close to accomplishing both.

Says Lowden Could Have Won.

Frank Lowden could have had the nomination for governor six years ago. It was urged upon him with the same strings to it as was accepted by Mr. Deneen but Mr. Lowden pushed it aside with the emphatic assertion: I have prided myself on my integrity from my youth up. I can go back to my farm in Ogle county and live happy without the nomination for governor, but I propose to take my honor with me.

Man of Integrity Needed.

The time is at hand when Illinois needs in the chief executive's chair a man with red blood in his veins, and one whose integrity is unquestioned.

It is the hope of thousands of the friends of Col. Lowden that his health may continue to improve so that when the time arrives for the choice of a candidate for governor they may be at liberty to consider him as among the available candidates.

The time is ripe for some good man with high ideals to step into the governor's office and make a marvelous record. There are a lot of rats that have been rifling the state crib for years and will put up a great fight against such a proposition, but if we are not mistaken in the sentiment of a vast majority of voters, that is just what they demand and are ready, to trap, poison and rout the rats. The large increase in tax each year, together with decrease in efficiency has caused them to stop and ponder.

FALLING HAIR

EASY TO STOP IT AND MAKE IT LUSTROUS AND BEAUTIFUL

If your hair is falling out; if you have dull unattractive hair, or if you need a daily hair dressing read what Mrs. Hettie Hedgman of Nelsonville, Erie county, O., writes June 6, 1910, about Parisian Sage:

"I used Parisian Sage for falling hair and find it the finest thing I ever heard of. My hair was falling out by combs full and I could run my fingers through it and they would hang full of loose hair. I washed my hair and got a bottle of Parisian Sage and used two applications and I could see a great difference. My hair was lustrous and had almost stopped falling out and by the use of one more bottle it stopped altogether."

For women, for men or for children, Parisian Sage is without any doubt the finest preparation for the hair. It is guaranteed by Rowland Bros. to stop hair from falling; to eradicate itching scalp in two weeks, or money back. It is a most daintily perfumed and refreshing hair dressing, free from grease or stickiness, and ought to be in every home where every member of the family could use it daily. Large bottle 50 cents at Rowland Bros. and druggists everywhere. The girl with the Auburn hair is on every package.

SEES A VICTORY FOR INCOME TAX

Senator Brown Expects Ratification by States.

ALREADY INDORSED IN EIGHT

New Legislatures in States Which Refused to Indorse the Proposed Amendment May Reconsider the Question.

Washington, Dec. 7.—That four of the five states whose legislatures have pronounced against the income tax amendment to the constitution as provided by the Payne-Aldrich tariff law will reconsider their decision and align themselves with the states supporting the provision is the opinion of its author, Senator Norris Brown of Nebraska.

Senator Brown is confident also that the amendment will be ratified by the legislatures of more than the required three-fourths of the states during the present winter. Eight states—Alabama, South Carolina, Illinois, Maryland, Kentucky, Mississippi, Oklahoma and Georgia—have passed ratification resolutions.

New York, Rhode Island, Massachusetts, Virginia and Louisiana have refused to indorse the proposed amendment, but Senator Brown declares there is strong reason to believe the new legislatures of those states, with probably one exception, will reconsider the question.

The week after election Senator Brown wrote to all governors urging their co-operation in the campaign for the amendment, enclosing a copy of the ratification resolution. He has had replies from a large majority of the governors, who favor the amendment, and in their messages will recommend ratification.

There is a strong letter from Governor-elect Foss of Massachusetts. Only one governor has taken an adverse position and he represents a state which voted against the proposition last winter.

BLIZZARD IN THE EAST

12 Degrees Below Zero in One New York Town.

Great Suffering Caused Among the Poor of New York City—Gale on the Atlantic Coast.

New York, Dec. 7.—A lusty young blizzard, which came to life in the Tennessee mountains, and grew rapidly as it swept eastward, disported along the Atlantic seaboard and over the lower lake region.

Canton, N. Y., reported a temperature of 12 degrees below zero, the lowest recorded on the weather bureau chart.

The snow delayed traffic in New York city. Scores of pedestrians were injured by falling on slippery sidewalks. The biting cold caused suffering among the poor. In the night 578 persons were cared for in the municipal lodging house.

A severe gale aroused the Atlantic ocean. Four ocean steamships which crept into port had to anchor in the lower bay because of the blinding snow. Shipping was held in port for better weather.

SNOWFALL IN CENTRAL SOUTH

Eight Inches in Kentucky—Six in Arkansas—Sleet in Memphis.

Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 7.—The first snowstorm of the season is general throughout the south.

In Memphis the fall was light, eventually giving way to a mixture of sleet and rain, with temperature almost stationary about the freezing point. Mayfield, Ky., reports the heaviest snowfall—eight inches. Hoxie, Ark., reports six inches.

Foot of Snow in Ohio.

Gallipolis, O., Dec. 7.—Twelve inches of snow fell in this section; the heaviest fall in ten years. Street cars were put out of commission. Railroad trains were delayed.

HREE WORKMEN LOSE LIVES

Feel Contracts on Account of Frost and Men Suffer Death.

Marble, Colo., Dec. 7.—Two Italians and one Austrian were killed by a cave in of the roof of a concrete vault being constructed by the Colorado Yule Marble company.

Contraction of steel supports, due to frost, was given as the cause of the collapse.

THORNTON WINS TOGA RACE

Alexandria Judge Elected to Succeed the Late Senator McEnery.

Baton Rouge, La., Dec. 7.—Judge J. R. Thornton of Alexandria, was elected by the Louisiana general assembly United States senator, to succeed the late Senator McEnery.

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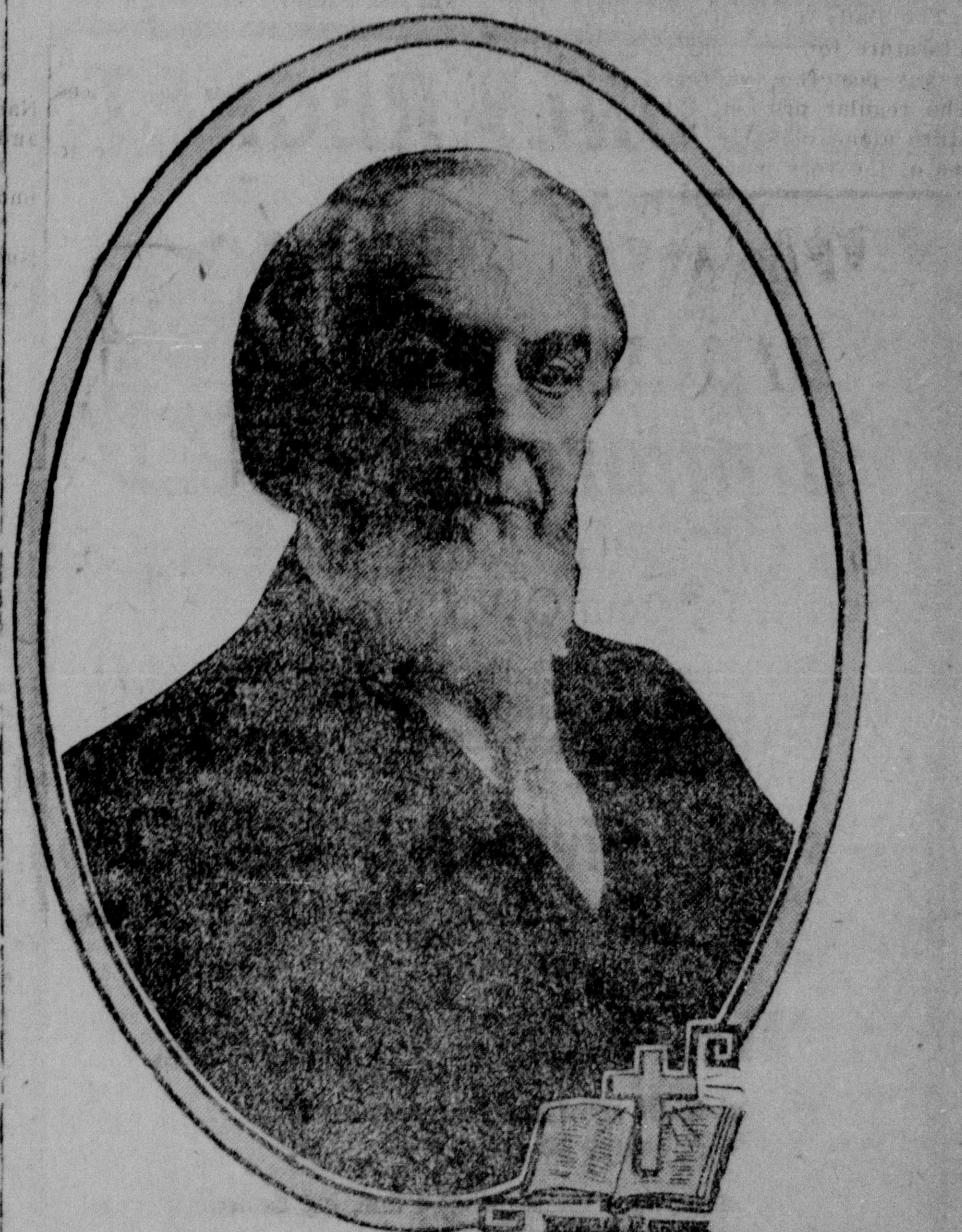
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Twenty-five Years Ago Today.

Opening of the Forty-ninth congress, the first under Grover Cleveland's administration. Cleveland's message was the first from a Democratic president in twenty-five years.

SETTLED OUT OF COURT.

Racing For the Honest Lawyer in a Town in Denmark.

In telling of his boyhood home in Denmark, "The Old Town," Jacob A. Rills says that he does not remember that there were at any time more than two lawyers in the place. One was good, the other bad—not a bad lawyer perhaps, but reputed to be tricky, whereas the other was known to be honest.

It is therefore perhaps the best character I can give my people when I record the fact, writes Mr. Rills, that when two farmers quarreled, each sure that he was right, they made haste to hitch up to get first to the honest lawyer, and usually that was the end of the quarrel, for the last in the race was willing to make peace.

They used to tell of two well to do neighbors who had fallen out over a line fence and started simultaneously for town. Both had good teams, and they were well matched in the race.

For half an hour they drove silently alongside, each on his own side of the road, grimly urging on their horses, but neither gaining a length. At last as the lights of the town came into sight, for it was evening, a truce broke on one of the rigs, and the horses stopped. The other team whirled away in a cloud of dust.

"Hans," the beaten one called after him, and he halted and looked back, "are you going after Lawyer —?" naming the square one.

"I am that," came back.
"Then let's go back, I'm beat."
And back home they went and made it up.

Made the Rhyme.

"Carpet" rhymes with no single word, but some hold poet dared to evade the difficulty thus:

"Sweet maid of the inn, 'tis surely no sin to toast such a beautiful bar bet; believe me, my dear, your feet would appear at home on a nobleman's carpet."—London Answers.

Cynical.

"The course of true love doesn't always run smooth," sighed the young widow.

"That's right," rejoined the old bachelor. "Sometimes it ends in marriage."—Chicago News.

REV. MARTIN GAVE
LECTURE ON HAMLETFIRST OF A SERIES OF THREE
STUDIES IN SHAKESPEARE.

GREATEST OF HIS TRAGEDIES

Lecturer Believes Hamlet's Religion Kept Him From Avengeing Murder.

Rev. E. D. Martin presented an analytical study of Hamlet at the People's church last evening as the first of three Shakespearean lectures. It is evident that he has given the subject much study and the result of his analysis is interesting to every student of literature.

The basis of his study of Shakespeare was to find out whether the author had a message. Shakespeare, he found, was like Rembrandt in that he pictured life as he found it. He doesn't try to give us any theory of life, but he gives us life. His characters are transparent and are natural, for he makes us see every motive of their action.

Hamlet is Shakespeare's greatest tragedy. The lecturer considered tragedy, not in the present day acceptance of the term but in its original meaning—the representation of life from the fatalistic point of view. It is the pessimist in theory of life, through which marches a decree of fate. Shakespeare's tragedies differ from the Greek tragedies because the remedy of the destiny of man is within himself, while in the Greek it is outside of man and beyond his influence. But notwithstanding this the lecturer did not recall a character in Shakespeare who reformed. Shakespeare pictures the fundamental tragedy of the heart of man.

Hamlet in the character that has most fascinated the students of Shakespeare, and the lecturer cited the opinion of various critics on Hamlet and gave theories to account for Hamlet's delay in avenging the murder of his father. Hamlet was reared to see life from the eyes of Chivalry, but when he came back from his foreign schooling he found his father murdered and his mother faithless to her wifehood, so that he lost faith in manhood and womanhood; he lost his ideal. The lecturer believed that it was Hamlet's religion that kept him from immediately avenging his father's murder. Religion saves our lives from being a tragedy.

Unending Courage—A new bullet invented in Germany sets fire to balloons. The hope of abolishing war by mechanical improvements is apt to be cooled off by counter improvements.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

CHRISTMAS SUGGESTION.

Engraved calling cards. See our beautiful new samples.

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SOCIAL
HAPPENINGS
PAST AND PROSPECTIVE

Our new serial, "The Fortune Hunter" will appear in the columns of the Telegraph Saturday, Dec. 10. Do not fail to read the opening chapter.

The Young Ladies' Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. Wm. McGinnis Thursday evening, Dec. 8th.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Baptist church will hold a sale of aprons, rugs, comforters and candy, Saturday at Moyer's furniture store. 86 3

Navajo Party

All is in readiness for the dancing party to be given by the members of the Navajo club this evening in Rosbrook hall. Seelig's orchestra will play and all attending are sure to spend an evening of much pleasure.

Japanese Tea.

St. Katherine's Guild of the Episcopal church will hold a Japanese tea Thursday, Friday and Saturday afternoons and Saturday evening of this week in the Baker building on Galena avenue. Coffee, tea, hot chocolate, sandwiches, etc., will be served. Boost for a good cause. Mr. Long will furnish some beautiful flowers. The palms will also be donated by him.

Recital a Success.

The pipe organ recital given last evening in the Presbyterian church by A. H. Stoddard, assisted by Miss Lorna Dement, Mrs. Virden and Robin Hartwell, was anticipated with great pleasure and the anticipations were more than fulfilled in the musical program given the audience, which comfortably filled the church.

The recital was given under the auspices of the Young Ladies' Auxiliary of the church, for the piano fund.

The program opened with a double number by Mr. Stoddard "March De Fete," by Barrelli, the brilliant music pealing out in joyous strains from the masterful fingers of one who knows and loves the instrument well. The second part of the opening number, the overture from "Il Trovatore," by Verdi, by many thought to be the most beautiful of the overtures, was played with rare expression and, we might say, intuition. Mr. Stoddard seemed to divine each subtle change of this versatile composer. The rendition of this overture was worth going miles to hear in itself.

In the next number, a solo by Robin Hartwell, entitled "The Dream," by Bartlett, the audience was delighted with the smooth richness of Mr. Hartwell's voice and its power. He was encored, as was every number on the program, and responded with a dainty Irish song.

The "Introduction to Third Act from Lohengrin" by Wagner and the "Offertoire," by Clark, the next selections played by Mr. Stoddard, were greatly enjoyed, the room being so still that one might have heard a pin drop. The audience waxed enthusiastic to such an extent that applause was given at the conclusion of the first half of the double number.

Miss Lorna Dement, ever a favorite with a Dixon audience, and deservedly so, sang "The Dawn," by D'Hardelot, a beautiful song well adapted to Miss Dement's clear, brilliant voice. The second song in the group, entitled "Since We Parted," by Allitson, was given a most sympathetic expression and charmed her hearers, for they were insistent until Miss Dement gave an encore. "A May Morning," which to many was the prettiest selection she gave. It was a dainty, lifting May song and elicited much applause.

"Fanfare" and "Berceuse" were listened to with rapt attention by the audience, and the only objection found with the entire program was that it was too brief.

Mrs. Virden, vice president of the Dixon college, then gave a reading, "Not Understood," a pathetic thing which given by a reader of the ability of Mrs. Virden brought tears to the eyes of many. She was encored and responded gracefully, again winning her share of honors for the evening.

Mr. Stoddard closed the program of music with two delightful selections, "The Harvest Home," by Spinnery, being especially pleasing. Everyone present was thoroughly delighted with the excellent program given.

A silver offering at the door was taken and some of the offerings were most generous.

Thursday Reading Circle
Mrs. Henry Decker will entertain the Thursday Reading Circle tomorrow afternoon.

Kahoty Club.
The Kahoty club and gentlemen will enjoy a scramble tea at the home of Mrs. C. H. Ives Thursday evening.

Invincibles Meet.
The Invincibles enjoyed a meeting this afternoon with Miss Gladys Steel.

To Attend Party.
Miss Zoe Osborne came up from Sterling today to attend the 'ancing party given in Rosbrook hall this evening by the members of the Navajo club.

Candlelighters to Meet.
The Candlelighters of the Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. G. M. Weed of Palmyra avenue, on Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Preparing for Sale.
Each lady of the Baptist church is requested to bring something to the sale to be held at the John E. Moyer furniture store. The articles can be sent to the store or can be brought to the missionary society meeting tomorrow.

W. C. O. E.
The Woman's Catholic Order of Foresters will hold a meeting tomorrow evening. There will be an election of officers and all members are requested to be present.

Aid Society Sale.
The Ladies' Aid society of the Baptist church will hold a sale of aprons, rugs, comforters and candy, Saturday at Moyer's furniture store.

Sewing Circle
The Young Ladies Sewing Circle of St. James held an all day meeting today at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Hilbish on Galena avenue.

K. & L. of S. Meeting.
An error was made in announcing the meeting of the Knights and Ladies of Security. The meeting will be held next week Wednesday.

Friday Evening.
It is at the College chapel. The men are wanted Friday evening, Dec. 9th, to buy the boxes of the ladies of the Congregational church. Come!

St. Agnes Guild.
St. Agnes' Guild of the Episcopal church will meet on Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Miss Bess Eells.

Christmas Sale.
Mrs. George H. Squires and Mrs. Chas. Chandler spent Tuesday in Freeport selecting a choice line of china from the well known firm, Little & Co. These goods will be on sale the 17th, at which time St. Ann's Guild will hold their annual Christmas sale.

MYSTIC WORKERS ELECTION
The Mystic Workers will meet this evening at the Maccabee hall for their annual election of officers and it is rumored that there will be a good deal of friendly rivalry in the election.

W. R. C. Birthday.
The 18th birthday anniversary of the W. R. C., No. 218, will be celebrated Tuesday evening, Dec. 13, at the G. A. R. hall. All charter members are urged to be present, as they will be guests of honor. All members of the post and their families are cordially invited and a special invitation is extended to all Sons of Veterans. A good program has been prepared. Come and join with us and make this a time long to be remembered.

Will Attend Lecture.
Prof. Strong with a large number of his pupils will go to Sterling on Friday evening to attend the lecture to be given by F. H. Leonard of Boston, which will be given at the Academy of Music.

Pioneer Whist Club
The members of the Pioneer Whist club were guests of Mrs. W. J. McAlpine this afternoon for a game of bridge. The company was given in honor of Miss Norris, who is here from Chicago.

O. E. Heard Jr. Engagement.
Mr. and Mrs. O. Springer, Carroll street, Freeport, entertained the members of the Beta club at six o'clock dinner Saturday evening, at which the engagement of their daughter, Miss Norma Lash, and Oscar E. Heard Jr., was announced. Mr. Heard is the son of Judge and Mrs. O. E. Heard.

The Sale
Continued!!

Having bought a Manufacturer's Samples of Fur Scarfs, Muffs and Fancy Pieces in all kinds of Fur, we will continue to make very low prices during this week.

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Good Politics—President Taft will not call the new congress in extra session to revise the tariff. He will insist on treating it as an economic question thru a commission. That is good politics for the tariff wrecks every party that handles it as a political question, and it happens to be right, also, as a matter of public policy.—Springfield Journal

CITY SUBSCRIBERS.

The Daily Telegraph and Current Literature for one year to city subscribers for \$6.50. The regular price of the Daily Telegraph is \$5.00. Current Literature, \$3.00. Our special offer, for \$6.50.

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The Plymouth

ISADOR EICHLER.

ELMER MYERS BURNED
IN GASOLINE FIRE
Word is received that Elmer Myers, former proprietor of the steam dye works in this city, was severely burned at Belvidere yesterday afternoon while at work with gasoline in the cleaning establishment there. Particulars of the accident are not

learned, but it is understood that his injuries are serious.
SUBLETTE MAN GETS
OFFICE IN THE WEST
Major A. T. Tourtellott received a letter this morning from John T. Scott, formerly of Sublette, but now of Casper, Wyoming, announcing

that he had been elected treasurer of Natrona county, Wyoming. Mr. Scott served as a sergeant in Major Tourtellott's company, K of the 6th during the war with Spain in 1898. Scott is well known both in Lee and Whiteside counties and his friends will be pleased to hear of his good fortune in the recent election.

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TO INSPECT BRIDGE.
The highway commissioners of Grand Detour and Dixon townships will go Thursday to inspect the new bridge on the county line, situated on the Prindaville farm. The bridge was constructed by J. W. Kelley of this city.
Make the Telegraph a Christmas present by sending in your year's subscription.

INSTALLING OFFICER FOR STERLING LODGE

STATES ATTORNEY EDWARDS TO OFFICIATE FOR THE NEW LODGE OF ELKS.
States Attorney Harry Edwards has been asked by District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler James A. Finlen of Streator to serve as installing officer at the institution of the Ster-



HARRY EDWARDS,
Who Will Serve as Installing Officer at the Institution of the Sterling Lodge of Elks.

ling lodge of Elks, No. 1218, Dec. 28, 1910.

Mr. Edwards received a letter today from Mr. Finlen and accepted the honor.

Mr. Edwards is well fitted to do this work. He has an excellent command of language and is thoroughly familiar with the work, having done it on several occasions.

Sterling will start out with a large membership.

APPLE EXHIBITS FROM CHICAGO LAND SHOW

Raffenberger & Son have in their office window an exhibition of apples which were sent from Washington county, Idaho, to the land show at Chicago. These same apples were also on exhibition at Council Bluffs, where they carried away the sweep stake prize of \$500 for the best three bushels of apples of three varieties. The Council Valley apple took the gold medal for the largest round apple exhibited at the National Horticultural congress.

Council Valley also carried away the sweep stake prize for pears. In all, the Council Valley took 42 out of 46 entries at the National Horticultural congress at Council Bluffs. Thirty-eight states were entered in competition. Council Valley carried away the highest premium at the world's fairs at Chicago, Paris and St. Louis. These apples arrived in Dixon last evening and are fine.

STERLING ATTORNEY IS ON COMMITTEE

TO DRAFT RESOLUTIONS FOR CONGRESS ON ILLINOIS WATERWAYS.

Attorney John M. Stager of Sterling, who was one of Gov. Deneen's party, which left Chicago on a special train for Washington, D. C. to attend the National Rivers and Harbors congress, was honored by the congress yesterday when he was named a member of the committee to draft resolutions to be submitted to the congress setting forth the demands of Illinois for waterway improvements.

The committee is composed of the following Illinoisians: Isham Randolph, chairman; Judge Charles F. Fishback of Chicago, Attorney John S. Stager of Sterling, H. W. Johnson of Ottawa, Wm. A. Meese of Moline and Mayor George Parsons of Cairo.

FORECAST.

Illinois: Generally fair tonight and Thursday, colder in north tonight.

Indiana: Generally fair tonight and Thursday, colder in north tonight.

Missouri: Fair tonight, Thursday increasing cloudiness.

Lower Michigan: Unsettled weather with snow tonight and in extreme north and west Thursday.

Upper Michigan: Snow and colder tonight, cold wave in extreme east, Thursday cloudy.

Wisconsin: Generally fair tonight and Thursday, colder tonight.

Minnesota: Generally fair tonight and Thursday, colder in southeast tonight.

Iowa: Fair tonight with colder in the east on Thursday, increasing cloudiness.

North Dakota: Generally fair tonight and Thursday, increasing cloudiness.

South Dakota: Generally fair tonight and Thursday, warmer in east tonight.

Nebraska and Kansas: Fair tonight, Thursday increasing cloudiness.

Montana: Generally fair weather except snow in west tonight or Thursday, warmer in east.

Wyoming: Generally fair except snow in northeast tonight or on Thursday, warmer in the northeast tonight.

Cruelty to Women.

We wonder what death the man will die or what tortured life he will be caused to lead who discovered the little "trick" by which a woman's age can be ascertained beyond a doubt—that is to say, while her health is normal. The only instrument required is an ordinary watch. The wrist of the lady whose age is in question is the telltale, for when you count her pulse and it registers sixty-nine beats per minute you know that she is between twenty and twenty-five years old. During the next five years seventy-one beats go to the minute, and the "femme de trente ans" and over is entitled to seventy throbs. It is a pity the man of science who established these facts is not more exact when dealing with the women of riper age, for, according to rumor and tradition, it is only after she is thirty that a woman begins to leave off having birthdays.—Westminster Gazette.

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Auction Bridge.

Eight ladies will be entertained at the home of Mrs. J. M. Batchelder Thursday afternoon for a game of auction bridge, followed by a scramble tea.

Basket Social.

Come to the basket social at the Wild Cat school, three miles northwest of Dixon, Friday evening, Dec. 9. Conveyances will meet the eight o'clock interurban at Wild Cat Corners. All are assured of a fine time. Mariah Coakley, Teacher.

Guest of Cousin.

Mrs. Sarah Tracy of Minneapolis will be the guest of her cousin, Mrs. M. N. Clark, at the Congregational parsonage for the next ten days.

Burtfield-Dewey.

Ezra L. Dewey and Miss Mary E. Burtfield were united in marriage at the Congregational church parsonage in this city at 5 p. m. Tuesday by Rev. M. N. Clark. Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Dewey left for Indiana, where they will visit for two weeks with relatives of the groom. They will return to make their home on a farm four miles east of Dixon. Both are estimable young people and the best wishes of many friends accompany them.

To Give Minstrels.

The junior class of the South Side high school is a class composed of energetic young people and some time between now and Christmas will give a minstrel show in the opera house, to raise money for class purposes. It is a big undertaking but the pupils have the necessary pluck and determination to make it a success. They have secured the services of Mrs. Will Smith, who will train the chorus and drill the singers in the many solos, quartets, duets, etc. Mrs. Smith is an untiring worker and this quality combined with her superb knowledge of music and experience in drilling choirs, and choruses speak well for the success of the coming minstrels.

S. A. W. V. Banquet.

The local camp of Spanish American War Veterans are planning for a gay time Friday evening in Armory hall. On this occasion they will banquet the veterans and their wives. Two hundred invitations have been

issued. The Imperial orchestra has been engaged to furnish music for the affair. Veterans at Sterling, La-Moille, Freeport and Rockford have been invited and many have accepted the invitation. It will be the greatest social event ever attempted by the Dixon camp.

Dramatic Notes

"THE FIGHTING PARSON."

The minister of the Gospel has been portrayed in theatrical productions in various ways, but up to the present time one of the most important and interesting Christian workers has been overlooked by dramatic writers.

The doctor of divinity in question is that noble person who has selected the most useful field for his labors in the entire universe, the slum districts of a great city. The settlement worker about whom Clem B. Parker has written a story of heart throbs and thrills, is called "The Fighting Parson," which is the title of W. F. Mann's newest melodramatic offering, to be seen at the Dixon Opera House, on Friday, Dec. 9th.

FAMILY THEATRE

Two large audiences attended the family theatre again last night. The present vaudeville is giving splendid satisfaction. There will be two reels of new pictures tonight.

What a Chance—There are 20,000 words in President Taft's message. If he could only sell for a dollar a word like the ex-president! —Providence Journal.

Makes Him Jump—You can make a married man almost jump out of his skin by slipping up behind him and shouting in his ears that it is thirty days until Christmas.—Houston Post.

Wood Is Inelastic—Laura Jean Libbey says it is all right for a girl to marry a man with one leg, but she might have added something about being sure the leg most easily pulled off is the one remaining.—Lafayette Journal.

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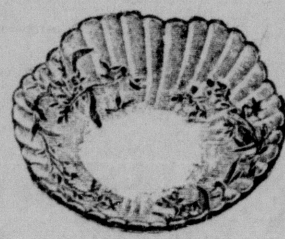
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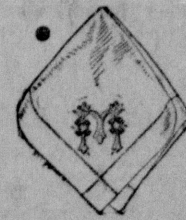
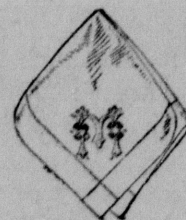
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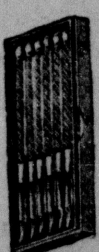
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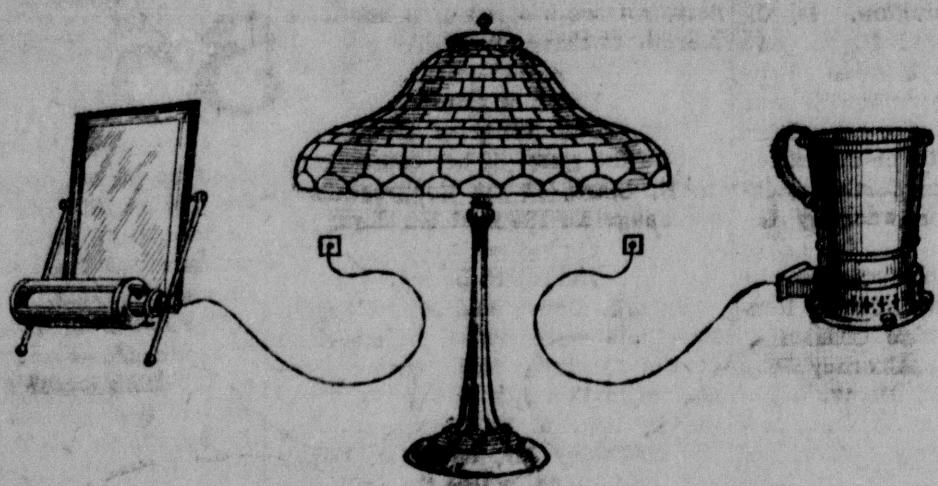
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FRAUDS CHARGED IN OHIO ELECTION

Beaten Democratic Candidates File Sensational Charges.

CONTEST NOTICES ARE SERVED

Taking of Depositions to Prove Fraud Charges Will Begin on Dec. 19.—Sweeping Violations of Election Laws Alleged.

Cincinnati, Dec. 7.—Four thousand fraudulent votes were cast in favor of the Republican candidates for the legislature in Cincinnati and Hamilton county at the last election, according to formal notices of contest which have been served on Republican candidates by the Democratic candidates. Investigation, it is said, shows:

Three thousand votes were cast by men who either directly or indirectly received money or other valuable considerations for so doing.

Fifteen hundred men voted more than once.

Three thousand men marked their ballots so they might be identified.

One thousand votes which were cast for the Democrats were wrongfully counted for the Republican candidates.

Many election booths were located in saloons and intoxicating liquors were sold in these places while votes were being cast.

Men were permitted to congregate within 100 feet of the polls and interfered with and intimidated voters.

It is announced that the taking of depositions to prove these charges will begin Dec. 19.

ARREST CHINESE PARTY

Fifteen Persons Taken While Being Smuggled Ashore.

Customs Officers Secure Statements of Revolting Nature from Women Kidnapped by White Dealer.

San Francisco, Dec. 7.—Customs officers have secured statements from some of the Chinese women who were brought over surreptitiously on the steamer Manchuria and who were caught while being smuggled ashore. In the party of smuggled Chinese were seven men and eight women. The women were mainly orphan girls, kidnapped in the streets of Hong Kong just before the sailing of the steamer. One girl was drugged and carried aboard the ship like a bale of goods.

All fifteen were put in a storage room only 14 feet square on board the steamer, and any one, except a Chinese, would have died in a few days, as there was no light and little ventilation. Food and drink were thrust through a hole in the wall. Conditions in this veritable black hole were said to be terrible.

One man, supposed to be a white dealer in coolie slaves, had charge of these Chinese and would have made about \$500 on each man and \$1,000 on each girl, could he have landed them.

MAN FOUND FROZEN IN SNOW

W. P. Bott Loses Life on Way Home in Unknown Manner.

Honestdale, Pa., Dec. 7.—William P. Bott, of Deposit, N. Y., a piano agent, was found frozen to death in a snow drift about a mile west of the home of George Dibble, near Breton Center, Wayne county. Just how he met his death is not definitely known.

No marks were found on the body and it is believed he was either thrown or fell from his cutter while driving towards home. About \$2 was found in his clothing. He was 75 years old.

COLLIER HEADS AERO CLUB

Selected as President as Compromise in National Council Meeting.

New York, Dec. 7.—The meeting of delegates to the National Council of the Aero Club of America, held at the Waldorf, to elect a chairman, resulted in such a bitter contest between the two rival candidates, Cortlandt Field Bishop and Clifford B. Harmon, that after an eight-hour session the delegates picked Robert J. Collier as a compromise candidate lest the national council be disrupted.

FIND WEALTHY WOMAN DEAD

Mrs. Coffin Dies from Effects of a Stroke of Apoplexy.

New Rochelle, N. Y., Dec. 7.—Mrs. Evelyn Trowbridge Coffin, the wealthy widow of Charles H. Coffin, was found dead in bed by her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth McCann, with whom she lived at 130 Franklin avenue.

She was 73 years old, and had been in apparent good health. She attended the funeral of a relative and was later stricken with a stroke of apoplexy.

Meteorite Damages Stables.

London, Dec. 7.—A meteorite which fell here passed through a group of stables at Hull, demolishing one of them and shattering the roofs of five others.

Away Went the Pimples

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PROPERTY OF I. C. R. R. MUST BE PAINTED RED.

Again the Illinois Central has notified owners of property on its right of way that buildings must be painted a dark wine color, the standard color of the company. Some years ago a like order went forth, but the property owners, at least in a majority of cases, saw fit to ignore it. The order has been reiterated and may bring some results. Elevators, mine tipples and lumber and coal yards in many places occupy positions on the company's right of way leasing the ground from the Illinois Central by the year at a monthly sum. The Illinois Central has, of course, the right to dictate regarding the outward appearance of the buildings, but has never shown any marked strenuousness in the matter.

"The Fortune Hunter."

FIRE DESTROYS ART GALLERY

Home of R. W. Downing in Partial Ruins as Result of Blaze.

Philadelphia, Dec. 7.—Flames on the fourth floor of the house of Robert W. Downing, 1624 Locust street, president of the Colonial Trust company and former controller of the Pennsylvania Railroad company, drove him and his family out into a snow storm and resulted in serious damage to the many costly works of art which crowded the Downing home.

It also interrupted several social functions in the neighboring houses. The firemen were handicapped by the storm, but succeeded in confining the damage to the art gallery and two or three other rooms.

GARY REFUTES RUMOR

Chairman of Steel Trust Says Gary Mills Will Not Close.

Admits Number of Men Employed is Less Than Year Ago, But Needs Are Not So Great.

New York, Dec. 7.—Judge E. H. Gary, chairman of the United States Steel corporation, discussed conditions in the iron and steel industries. The exact occasion for Judge Gary's remarks was a rumor that the steel corporation had laid off 20,000 men or was about to do so and that the celebrated plant at Gary was soon to be shut down. These reports Mr. Gary emphatically denied, explaining, however, that such erroneous prophecies might arise from his own recent statement that the corporation was running in the neighborhood of 50 per cent of capacity.

In answer to a query as to the effect upon labor of the curtailment in steel production, Judge Gary said that at this time last year the corporation had in its employ about 215,000 men, whereas now it has only about 185,000 or 190,000. The last figures were compiled in August, since which time there has been practically no change in the number of men employed.

MANY HIT IN BATHTUB CASE

Individuals and Firms Accused at Detroit of Controlling Output.

Detroit, Dec. 7.—The federal grand jury here indicted thirty-two individuals and sixteen firms alleged to control 85 per cent of the annual output of bathtubs in the United States.

This is one of the biggest hauls so far as individual prosecutions are concerned, that the department of justice has ever made under the anti-trust law. If the officers are convicted they will be liable to jail sentences and the department will, no doubt, bend every effort to have such punishment meted out instead of fines. The sixteen companies also were indicted as corporate ones.

HUGE COPPER MERGER

Properties With Capital of \$26,500,000 Involved in Deal.

Deal Consummated at Meeting of Directors of Companies Concerned Held in City of Chicago.

Chicago, Dec. 7.—A copper deal, involving properties capitalized at \$26,500,000 was consummated here at a meeting of the directors of the companies involved. Under the terms of the consolidation agreement reached the Superior and Pittsburg copper mine at Bisbee, Ariz., will be merged with the Calumet and Arizona property, which adjoins it. The exchange was made on a basis of approximately three and one-half to one.

By consolidating the two properties, the operating expenses of each will be very materially reduced. The Calumet and Arizona company owns a large smelter which is at present handling the ore of both mines, and has approximately \$4,000,000 cash on hand. The other company has no smelter and no cash, but has considerable more property than the purchasing company.

BIG BREWERY IS IN FLAMES

Firemen Battle to Save the Property Around Brewing Plant.

Menominee, Mich., Dec. 7.—The Leisen & Hones Brewing company's plant is in flames. Indications are that it will be totally destroyed. The loss is estimated at \$200,000; insurance, \$100,000. Every effort is being made to save the surrounding property.

A MERCENARY MARRIAGE.

Romance of Lady March and the Second Duke of Richmond.

One of the mercenary marriages which turned out happily was that of the second Duke of Richmond. He was married to Lady Sarah Cadogan as part of an agreement that her father's gambling debts should be canceled. Lord March (as he then was) being eighteen and the bride thirteen. Immediately after the wedding Lord March's tutor took him off to the continent for the grand tour, and Lady Sarah went back to her nursery. This is the sequel as told by Lady Russell in "The Rose Goddess."

"Three years elapsed. Lord March returned from his travels, but, having such an uninteresting recollection of his bride, was in no hurry to claim her and went the first evening of his return to London to the opera. There he noticed that all eyes—and longnettes—were directed to one box, where, surrounded by several persons, sat a most beautiful young creature. Turning to a man beside him, he asked who she was. 'You must be a stranger in London,' was the answer, 'not to know the reigning toast of the town, the beautiful Lady March.' Lord March lost no time in going to the box and introducing himself to his bride, with whom he ever after lived so affectionately that their devotion to one another became proverbial."

CUTICURA CURES STAY CURED

First Father is Cured of an Eruption that Burned and Itched Day and Night. Then Baby is Cured of a Distressing Rash.

Neighbors Pleased to Find a Sure Cure for Skin Afflictions.

"I suffered for eight years with what the doctors called the 'seven year itch.' This was like small red pimples such as form on the face but they burned and itched, day and night. These pimples were from my ankles up, but mostly on my thighs and arms. I tried doctor after doctor but their medicines brought no relief. But at last I struck the right treatment—this was Cuticura. I bought a set of the Cuticura Remedies—Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Pills—and a few applications brought relief. When I had used about half the set I was nearly cured and after using two full sets I was well and best of all, I have stayed cured."

"About four months ago, our baby began to be covered with a rash and his head with a spreading sore. Back of the ears, the flesh cracked open and the poor baby would scratch till it bled. He worried, cried and could not sleep. Then we bought a set of Cuticura and with a few applications the burning and itching ceased, baby stopped worrying and could sleep. When this single set had gone we had no use for any more as baby was never troubled with the disease again. The neighbors who saw the condition of the baby all asked what cured him, and when we told them, they were surprised and pleased to find a sure cure for these skin afflictions. Edward H. Carter, 323 North 37th St., Camden, N. J., Mar. 6, 1910."

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FOR SALE.

House and Lot for Sale. Good & room house within three blocks of business part of city; has cistern, city water, furnace, gas and bath room. Also 4 room cottage on same lot. Ira W. Lewis. 66tf

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For Rent. 80 acre farm one mile north of Harmon, Lee Co. For particulars address W. H. Dowd, 1132 So. Marshall Ave., Chicago, Ill. 69tf

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The 1910 census shows that farm land in the United States has increased 150 per cent in ten years or an average of 15 per cent a year for the past ten years. What land will be most apt to double in the next few years, the high priced land that pays in rents less than 3 per cent a year or the cheapest good land in the rain belt near market that will pay 10 per cent to 20 per cent in rent? All good wild land is now too high to buy unless put under cultivation at once.

Ask for my booklet describing the best cheap land and also list of bargains in farms in ten states. E. A. Wadsworth, Care Telegraph, Dixon. 276tf

For Sale. Yearling Poland China boar and two year old Short Horn bull. J. W. Oddy, Rural 5. Home Phone 7500. 816*

For Sale. Barred Plymouth Rock Cockerels. Phone K 22. F. W. Coleman, R. R. 4. 826*

For Sale. Banner Potatoes, 50c bu. Hartwell Nursery. Phone 150. 843

For Sale. Chester White stock hogs; phone No. 39,300. 856*

For Sale. Poland China boars; spring boars, also an old boar. Allen Seavey, Dixon, R. 1. Home phone 1300. 28518*

For Sale. Large fur rug, suitable for automobile. Enquire of Mrs. W. W. Wynn, W. Second St. 285tf

LOST

Lost. Lady's gold watch, hunting case, between the corner of Morgan St. and Galena Ave., North Dixon, and Family theatre Saturday evening. Finder please leave with Geo. Blass. Earl Grocery store, and receive reward. 843*

LOST

Lost. Belt of blue serge with silver belt buckle. Initial N. M. Finder please leave at this office. 51tf

Lost. A Knight Templar charm. Finder please return to this office, care of "H" and receive reward.

Lost. Thoroughbred Scotch Collie dog. Answers to the name of Sport White collar, white forelegs; followed team to Dixon Saturday; was last seen on Peoria Ave. and Second St. Communicate with this office or Mrs. Adam Johnson, Oregon, Ill. 856

Lost. Lynx black shawl muff in street car Tuesday noon. Finder please leave at this office. 853*

FOR SALE.

Improved farms here at \$30 to \$35 will no doubt sell at \$75 in three years. Come to a stranger interested in the country and those who settle here rather than come with a friend who is willing to take half you possess for getting you to come along. This is the best country in Dakota and I will help you to get the best deal in it. E. A. Wadsworth, Langdon, N. D. I am obliged to go to Idaho the last of this month so come at once. 43tf

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.

Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon:

East Bound to Chicago.		
No.	Lg. Dixon	Ar. Chicago
6	3:21 a. m. daily	6:45 a. m.
16	4:43 a. m. daily	7:20 a. m.
10	5:47 a. m. daily	8:35 a. m.
24	6:33 a. m. daily	9:20 a. m.
20	11:22 a. m. ex. Sun.	2:35 p. m.
*18	7:21 a. m. daily	10:15 a. m.
14	4:04 p. m. daily	7:25 p. m.
4	6:06 p. m. daily	8:50 p. m.
28	4:18 p. m. Sun.	7:25 p. m.
8	8:33 a. m. daily	11:20 a. m.

Passenger to Peoria
10 daily ex. Sun. Lv. Dixon 7:45 a. m.
West Bound From Chicago

No.	V. Chicago	Ar. Dixon
2	10:45 p. m. daily	1:52 a. m.
27	7:10 a. m. Sun only	10:23 a. m.
13	7:00 a. m. ex. Sun.	10:14 a. m.
5	10:00 a. m.	12:33 p. m.
19	12:30 p. m. ex. Sun.	3:43 p. m.
17	4:35 p. m. daily	7:29 p. m.
21	6:05 p. m. daily	8:40 p. m.
25	7:19 p. m. daily	9:52 p. m.
7	10:17 p. m. daily	12:51 a. m.

No 11 goes through at 8:31 p. m.
Will stop at Dixon for Colorado passengers only.

No. 1 goes through at 9:31 p. m.
Stops only for Ogden, Utah, or beyond passengers.

*Sterling Passenger.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.

TIME TABLE,
Dixon, Illinois.

Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers passenger and freight

South Bound		
*123	Sou. Exp.	10:34 a. m.
*131	Clinton Exp.	5:00 p. m.
*191	Amboy Frt.	9:50 a. m.
North Bound		
*132	Ft. Dodge Exp.	9:50 a. m.
*124	Local Mail	5:22 p. m.
*192	Freeport Frt.	12:30 p. m.
Daily. *Daily except Sunday.		

INTER-URBAN DIXON, CITY

West Bound	East Bound
Read Down	Lead Up
10:30/50	Assembly Park
13:33/53	Galena & Fellows
17:37/57	Galena & First
20:40/60	Office
30:50/10	Depots

Figures denote min. past the hour
From 6:20 a. m. until 11 p. m.
Sunday, first car at 7 a. m.

INTER-URBAN SERVICE

Cars leave both Dixon and Sterling every hour.
First car leaves at 5:50 a. m. and five (5) minutes past each hour thereafter until 11 p. m.
Local cars leave the office every twenty (20) minutes.

PUBLIC SALES

December 19—John Bushman, closing out sale, 8 miles east of Dixon and 4 miles north of Amboy on the Chicago road.

Robt. Hanne, 4 miles south of Dixon, Pump Factory road—Thursday, Dec. 22.

STATESMEN AND AUTHORS PAY TRIBUTE TO MARK TWAIN

Speaker Cannon and His Prospective Successor, Champ Clark, Among the Eulogists.

Howells, Watterson and Choate Praise Friend, While Gathering Applaude Anecdotes.

MARK TWAIN.

By Professor HENRY VAN DYKE of Princeton.
WE knew you well, dear Yorick of the west.
The very soul of large and friendly jest.
That loved and mocked the broad grotesque of things
In this new world where all the folks are kings.

Your breezy humor cleared the air with sport
Of shams that haunt the democratic court.
For even where the sovereign people rule
A human monarch needs a royal fool.

Your native drawl lent flavor to your wit.
Your arrows lingered, but they always hit.
Homeric mirth around this circle ran,
But left no wound upon the heart of man.

We knew you, kind in trouble, brave in pain.
We saw your honor kept without a stain.
We read this lesson of our Yorick's years:
True wisdom comes with laughter and with tears.

AFTER the manner which his dearest friends said he would have ordered Mark Twain's memory was revered recently in New York city by an assemblage of men and women most distinguished in arts, literature, the sciences and the professions in America.

There wasn't a note of sadness struck during the evening. Speeches rich in eulogy were made, but they were of the kind that brought smiles instead of tears. Two former neighbors of the famous humorist told the audience which filled auditorium, boxes and galleries in Carnegie hall that Mark Twain was quite ready to die; that he had passed on willingly, almost eagerly, after having made all the world laugh. So the purpose of the ceremonies was to further perpetuate the reign of light heartedness which had been Mark Twain's mission in life.

Great as a Lobbyist.

Authors, statesmen, a minister, a poet, told new stories about Mark Twain. Old ones were recounted and received with an acclaim which proved that a Twain story never grows old. Champ Clark, the Missourian who may be Uncle Joe Cannon's successor, praised Mark Twain as the greatest lobbyist who ever won over the house. Uncle Joe told how Mark Twain disrupted Uncle Sam's representatives with broadsides of good humor which sent the copyright bill to victory. Joseph H. Choate, former ambassador to the court of St. James, revealed himself in the merriest of moods as he told of Mark Twain's activities tickling John Bull's ribs.

William Dean Howells in the opening address voiced the keynote of the meeting when he said:

"If the mood and make of our commemoration could be left to Mark Twain we might imagine him saying: 'Why, of course you mustn't make a solemnity of it; you mustn't have it that sort of obsequy! I should want you to be serious about me—that is, sincere, and you couldn't be sincere if you ran to eulogy. But we don't object here to any man's affection; we like to be liked as well as ever, and if any of you can remember some creditable thing about me I shouldn't mind his telling it, provided always he didn't blink the palliating circumstances, the mitigating motives, the selfish considerations that accompany every noble action.'

Twain Easily Satisfied.

"I shouldn't like to be made out a miracle of humor either and left a stumbling block for any one who was intending to be moderately amusing and instructive hereafter. At the same time I don't suppose a commemoration is exactly the occasion for dwelling on a man's shortcomings in his life or his literature or for realizing that he has entered upon an immortality of oblivion."

Mr. Choate recalled an occasion when

NAPOLEON'S FLAG IS FOUND.

Emblem of Chasseurs-a-Cheval Discarded For Tricolor.

Another relic of Napoleon has been found in a small town in the south of France. It is a green silk flag embroidered with the famous golden bees and a hunting horn, the banner of Napoleon's favorite regiment, the chasseurs-a-cheval.

He carried a flag of this description when he effected his escape from the island of Elba in 1815 and laid it down soon after landing to take up the tricolor. It is believed that this is the very flag that he carried.

India Second in Cotton.

India now ranks next to the United States as a cotton producing nation.

he and Mark Twain were together in St. George's chapel, London, one hot day, both seemingly sobered by the solemnity of the place.

"What an awful thing it is!" Twain began in a whisper.

Mr. Choate said he leaned closer to catch some ponderously sad expression from the humorist.

"What an awful thing it is," Twain repeated, "to be shut up in a place where one cannot smoke!"

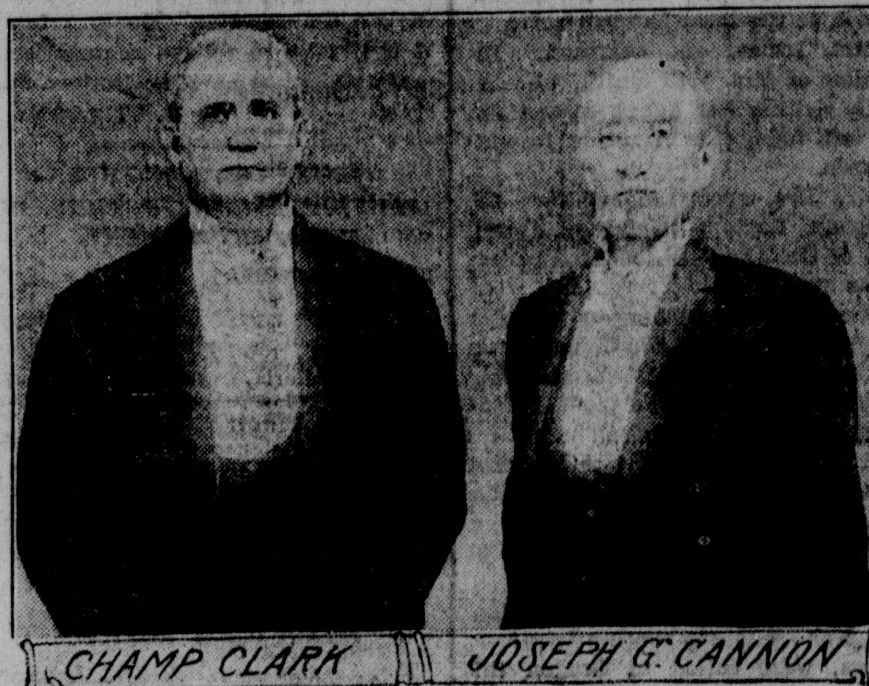
Twain once told Mr. Choate that a classical scholar tried to prove the origin of the story of the "Champion Jumping Frog" was found in writings of a Latin author. Twain listened to the reading of the ancient tale and exclaimed:

"Yes, sir; that's my frog!"

Mr. Choate sponsored the opinion that, the worth of Twain's story having been recognized, some enterprising publisher inserted it in the later editions of the classics and thus was born the charge that Twain was a plagiarist.

Hobnobbed With Wales.

The Rev. Joseph Hopkins Twichell, for many years one of the humorist's closest friends, described the satisfaction with which Twain received evidence that he had been admitted into the literary guild. This satisfaction, however, never threatened his modesty or naturalness. Some time after fame had crowned him Twain received a summons while in Hamburg, Germany, to spend the afternoon with the



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to the copyright law. The humorist frankly said he wanted to protect his and his children's rights against "plagiarists."

Mr. Cannon said Mark Twain had a burning desire to appear on the floor of the house of representatives and argue his cause. The humorist came to see him about it, and the speaker told him it could not be done, as such a thing had never been done. He told him that none but members and ex-members had the privilege of the floor of the house. The only precedents in the cases of others were where persons had received the thanks of congress.

Soon after this Mark Twain himself brought to his desk a letter addressed to the speaker. Here is the letter:

Dec. 7.
Dear Uncle Joseph—Please get me the thanks of congress; not next week, but right away. It is very necessary. Do accomplish this at once, by persuasion if you can, by violence if you must, for it is absolutely necessary that I get on the floor for two or three hours and talk to the congressmen man by man. I have arguments with me; also a barrel with liquid in it. I have stayed away from congress and let it alone for seventy-one years, and I am entitled to its thanks. Congress knows this well, and it never has publicly acknowledged its appreciation. Send me a reply at once with an order on the sergeant-at-arms. With love and benediction. MARK TWAIN.

Uncle Joe told of surrendering to Mark Twain his private office and a messenger. The latter went on the floor, carried messages from Twain to the members, and the humorist soon got more than enough votes to pass his bill.

Watterson Praises Author's Wife.

In his address "Marse" Henry Watterson paid a notable tribute to the humorist's life and particularly to the estimable qualities of Mrs. Clemens.

"His marriage," said Mr. Watterson, "was the most brilliant success of his life. He got the woman of all the world he most needed; a truly lovely and wise helpmate, who kept him in bounds and headed him straight and right while she lived, the best of housewives and mothers and the safest of counselors and soundest of critics. She knew his worth; she understood his genius; she clearly saw his limitations and angles. Her death was



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To the Consumer

I have this day received quotations that the price of Hard Nut Coal HAS BEEN ADVANCED 25 CENTS PER TON and on DECEMBER 1ST I will be compelled to RAISE THE PRICE on that grade of coal from \$9.00 to \$9.25 on DECEMBER 1st.

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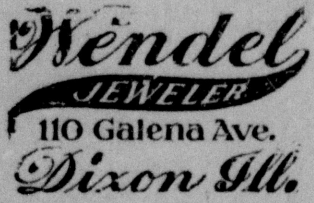
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- Apricots, per can.....40c
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- Dixon Agents Chase & Sanborn
- Coffee and Teas.

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108-114 E. First St., Dixon, Ill.

CITY IN BRIEF

J. C. Miller was up from Pawpaw today.
Robert Moffatt was here from Paw today.
Geo. Niebergall of Mendota was here today.
C. H. Stiteley was in Rochelle on business Tuesday.
Attorney C. P. Gardner was here today from Rochelle.
Christopher Barta of Roxbury was here yesterday.
George Dysart of Viola was in Dixon yesterday.
Andrew Aschenbrenner was up from Viola yesterday.
Philip Niebergall of Pawpaw was here today.
John L. May of Pawpaw spent the day in Dixon.
Geo. F. Schuler of Sterling was a business visitor in Dixon today.
T. H. Eustace of the Nachusa House, has been in Chicago on business.
Attorney Edward E. Wingert was in Nelson this forenoon transacting business.
Warren Badger has gone to New Mexico on business. He will be absent several weeks.
Robert Hanne expects soon to go to Bosworth, Mo., where he has purchased a large farm.
Archie Lipe, salesman for the Union Cigar company, called on friends and relatives here today.
Mrs. W. A. Rhoades of Sutherland, Ia., is visiting her mother Mrs. D. D. Decker at 404 West Second street.
Attorney R. W. E. Mitchell, former judge of Whiteside county, was here yesterday on business at the court house.
Found. A lady's hand bag west of oil house on River road. Same may be had by calling at this office and paying for ad. 863
Ernest Thomas, salesman for the Kimball Piano company, was here on business today with David Ort giesen at the local Kimball store.
Mrs. Lyons, of Atkinson, Ill., mother of Mrs. Will Smith, who has been visiting her daughter and family left today for Morrison to visit friends.
Mr. Rye, special agent for the Western Factory Insurance Association of Chicago, was in Dixon on business yesterday.
Miss Irene Remsburg, a member of the Amboy basketball team, was the guest of Miss Clark at the Congregational parsonage from Friday until Tuesday.
F. X. Newcomer went to Morrison today to adjust a fire loss for the American Insurance Company of Newark, N. J., and the Insurance Security Company of New Haven.
Mr. and Mrs. Knauff of Lexington, Neb., who are visiting friends in Dixon, were called to Oregon this morning by the death of the lady's father.
George Duis, brother of Chas Duis and ex-mayor of Grand Forks N. Dak., visited his father Jelle Duis today on his way to Richmond, Ind. Mr. Duis is a candidate for U. S senator from North Dakota.

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Watch for our new serial, "The Fortune Hunter."
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In five minutes apply "Sterling Analgic Embrocation" Money refund if it fails to relieve rheumatism, neuralgia, gout, sprains, bruises etc. 144tf
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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.
ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.
STATE OF ILLINOIS, ss
LEE COUNTY.
Estate of James B. Pomeroy, deceased.
Public notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, administrator of the estate of James B. Pomeroy, deceased, will attend before the County Court of Lee County, at the Court house in Dixon, on the 19th day of December 1910, next, for the purpose of making a final settlement of said estate, at which time and place I will ask for an order of distribution, and will ask to be discharged. All persons interested are notified to attend.
(Dixon, Illinois, November 29, A. D. 1910.)
MARK C. KELLER, Administrator.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.
Estate of Charles H. Keeler, deceased.
The undersigned, having been appointed Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Charles H. Keeler, late of the County of Lee and State of Illinois, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Lee County, at the Court House in Dixon, at the ordinary Term, on the First Monday in February, next, at which time all persons having claims against said Estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having same adjusted.
All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.
Dated this 6th day of December, A. D. 1910.
MARY L. KEELER, Executrix.

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Peter and Polly paper for the Peter and Polly books at this office.

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For Sale, One Short Horn bull, Address Dixon, R. F. D. 4, or Home telephone N. 4. John F. Spangler. 866

SPECIAL OFFER.
Classified Want Ads Free
The Evening Telegraph will print one "Want" "For Sale" "Lost" or "Found" ad of not more than twenty-five words, free for each subscriber in the special edition of Saturday, Dec. 10th. These ads must be mailed to this office so that they are received not later than Friday morning. Get them in earlier if possible. If you have any old furniture, stoves, carpets, in or about your place that you would like to dispose of, send the ad along, or if you want a maid, man servant, a house and lot; horses cows, money, anything, try your luck in Saturday's Telegraph. It will cost you absolutely nothing. The Telegraph has the largest circulation of any paper in Lee county and will on Saturday publish the Christmas number and on that day send out a large number of extras.
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PLAN NEW BRIDGE FOR PROPHETSTON

STRUCTURE FOR THE ELECTRIC ROAD IS TO COST \$55,000.
Plans have been made for the new bridge to span Rock river at Prophetstown for the Sterling-Moline Traction company. The bridge as planned will cost \$55,000. It will be a steel double track structure, being what is known as an 80 ton bridge. It will be built beside the present wagon bridge, which is known as a 20 ton bridge.
The bridge will rest on concrete piers, and the spans will be 100 feet long. There will be five spans. The bridge will be built in connection with the line.
Four-fifths of the right of way has been secured between Sterling and Denrock and right of way men are working out of Denrock and Erie toward Moline. Practically all right of way has been secured from Prophetstown to Morrison.
It has been definitely decided that the line will be built on the south side of the river. This means the line will enter Sterling over the Avenue G bridge or probably over a part of it, as it may be necessary to either build a bridge over the south arm of the river there or strengthen the 300 foot span.
The extension to Princeton will probably pass through the business district of Rock Falls and perhaps have connections with the switch tracks there.
Do not fail to read the opening chapter in our splendid new serial, "The Fortune Hunter," Saturday Dec. 10th.